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On behalf of the Motion Picture Association of America ("MPAA"), I am writing in support of your international tax initiative that would reform provisions of U.S. tax law and mate other changes that promote U.S. jobs and competitiveness. Your legislation addresses fundamental inequities facing U.S. taxpayers and I strongly commend you for it.

Enactment of your legislation will have a positive impact on the domestic economy and the American film industry. As you know, economic studies have demonstrated the important role that U.S. multinational corporations play in building our economy and creating and preserving American jobs. Your bill will help level the international playing field, enhance the ability of U.S. companies to compete in global markets, and strength in our domestic economy.

On behalf of our companies and their employees, we offer our support and assistance, and we thank you for your leadership.

The Honorable Bill Thomas Chairman Committee on Ways and Means Warmly Said-